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BRONZE REPLICA
GIFT TO COLLEGE

Houdon's Franklin Presented by
Dr. J. Ackerman Coles, of
New York.

From Dr. J. Ackerman Coles, of New York, President F. W. Boatwright, of Richmond College, has received a handsome bronze replica of Houdon's Franklin, which stands six feet, on a marble pedestal and weighs about 600 pounds. Back of the gift is an interesting story. Some time ago Dr. Boatwright received a letter from Dr. Coles, in which he expressed a desire to present a bell to the college. By reputation Dr. Boatwright knew that Dr. Coles was quite prominent in the medical and literary world, and while expressing the appreciation of the institution, he stated that it had no particular need of a bell at this time, but might be glad to accept one when it moved to the new home at West-hampton next year.

A subsequent letter from Dr. Coles announced that he had recently seen the replica of Houdon's Franklin and that if the college would accept it it would take great pleasure in sending it because of the warm friendship which had existed between his father, Dr. Abraham Coles, and the late Dr. Moses D. Hope, of Richmond. Dr. Boatwright immediately replied on behalf of the college, accepted the gift and conveyed the thanks of the institution and the board of trustees, and a few days ago the replica arrived. It has been given a prominent place in the library and will occupy a still more important position in the new college. The gift is a remarkably handsome one, and coming unsolicited as it is, is all the more appreciated.

Dr. Coles, who is a graduate of Columbia College, a fellow of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and a member of the New York Historical Society, received the degree of LL.D. from Hope College, England. The painting, "Good Samaritan," now in the State House at Trenton, was presented to the people of New Jersey by him. He has presented many works of art to various universities, and has been especially liberal in dealing with hospitals and medical institutions. To Washington Park, Newark, Dr. Coles gave a colossal bronze bust of his father, mounted on a pedestal constructed of stones brought from the Mount of Olives, Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, and having for its base a seven-ton boulder from the vicinity of Plymouth Rock. Many of his papers on medical and scientific subjects have been accepted as authorities. Dr. Boatwright is very anxious to have Dr. Coles visit Richmond when the new college is formally opened.

GRAVINS FINED \$25

Convicted on Charge of Selling Butter That Fell Below Standard. William F. Gravins, a commission merchant of 20 South Thirteenth Street, was fined \$25 and costs yesterday morning in Police Court on a charge of selling misbranded and adulterated butter. He was arrested several days ago on a warrant sworn out by Benjamin L. Purcell, Assistant Commissioner of the State Dairy and Poultry Department. It was charged that a sample of butter obtained from Mr. Gravins contained 14.5 per cent of butter fat, and the law stipulates it must have not less than 15.5 per cent.

Verdict of \$100.

In the case of Louis Caplan against Thomas E. Starks, which has been on trial for the past two days in the Law and Equity Court, the jury returned a verdict yesterday afternoon of damages in the sum of \$100. Mr. Caplan sued for \$500 for damages claimed in connection with a contract for erection of a building which it was claimed was defective and not in accordance with the plans filed. Motion to set aside the verdict was contrary to the law and evidence was overruled.

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UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY FOR POSTAL SAVINGS FUNDS

TURNBULL GIVES
CONTEST NOTICE

Will Present Charges Before
District Committee in Peters-
burg Monday Night.

At the request of Congressman Robert Turnbull, Chairman Robert Gilliam has called a meeting of the Fourth District Democratic Committee to be held Monday night at the Chesterfield Hotel, Petersburg. Chairman Gilliam has a letter from Mr. Turnbull, stating in substance that he is preparing a petition for contest, which he desires to make before the district committee, and suggesting Monday as a suitable date for the meeting. Mr. Turnbull stated further that he desired action by the district body as soon as possible, in order that, if necessary, an appeal might be prosecuted before the State committee in time to have it settled and the name of the successful candidate filed to go on the tickets in the November election.

State Chairman J. Taylor Elyson received a letter yesterday from E. R. Turnbull, Jr., attorney for the Congressman, stating that a petition to the district committee was in course of preparation. The time is now very short in which to prosecute a contest. Supposing charges are filed Monday night, it would be in order to give notice to Judge Walter A. Watson, the contestee, and have his attorneys present at the taking of depositions at different points in the district. Then there would be presentation of evidence and argument before the district committee. Should either side feel aggrieved at its decision, an appeal could be gotten to the State committee together. To get on the official ballot, names of candidates must be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth by October 16. Mr. Turnbull evidently takes the view of the law as outlined in The Times-Dispatch—to the effect that issues to be brought before the State committee must have previously been decided by the district committee.

WILL BE HERE TUESDAY

Major Winslow, Army Engineer, to Confer on Harbor Improvement. Major E. Winslow, United States Army engineer in charge of river and harbor work in this section, notified Clerk of Council Committees A. H. McElwain yesterday that he would arrive in Richmond next Tuesday morning for a conference with the City Engineer and members of the Committee on James River Improvement in reference to river work at this point. The government has awarded a large contract for dredging in the river to the Sanford Ross Company, of Jersey City, and the city desires permission for the engineer in charge to have a supplemental amount of rock removed from within the harbor by the same contractor, who has the special machinery accessible with which to do the work.

ECONOMOU FINED
IN POLICE COURT

Restaurant Man Convicted on
Charge of Detaining Mary
Ayers Against Her Will.

Nick Economou, of 412 North Sixth Street, was fined \$100 and costs yesterday morning in Police Court for harboring Mary Ayers, the fifteen-year-old stepdaughter of T. Letchworth, of 115 East Franklin Street. The girl disappeared from her home about two weeks ago and a missing report was made to the police. She had been away about four days. Following the publication in The Times-Dispatch of her photograph, Economou is said to have become alarmed and sent her home. She gave Detective Smith and Sergeant Sherry information which led to the arrest of Economou. Another man was implicated, but the police were unable to locate him. It is believed that he left town as soon as he heard the police were searching for the girl. Miss Ayers testified that she was detained by the man, who swore that this was not true, although admitting she had been in his place for two nights. He said she remained there of her own volition. The evidence was sufficient for Justice Crutchfield to impose the fine which was immediately paid.

POLICE SHAKE UP
FINALLY OCCURS

Bicycle Squads Transferred, Fifteen Officers Being Affected by New Order.

"FOR GOOD OF THE SERVICE"

First District Men Go to the Second, and Second District Men Go to the First.

The long-expected shake-up in the Police Department occurred last night when the Board of Commissioners decided to transfer all of the bicycle policemen from the First District to the Second, and those of the Second to the First. No specific reason was given for the change. Several commissioners were questioned on this point and in each instance the reply was "For the good of the service." The change will be effective October 14. Fifteen officers will be affected by the order, seven in the First District and eight in the Second. This rule does not include the two motorcycle policemen.

The men in the First who will be sent to the Second are Officers R. L. Bryant, E. L. Kidd, W. J. Botto, J. J. Matt, J. J. Traylor, C. H. Gerring and L. M. Reid. Those from the Second who will go to the First are Officers H. E. Clarke, S. W. Tomlinson, J. C. Napier, E. A. Leiss, L. R. Latham, F. L. Tiller, F. F. Stephens and E. S. Hart.

Hart and Stephens were elected to the bicycle squad last night to succeed E. N. Andrews, retired, and W. H. Palmer, who has been ill for a long time.

While a surprise to many the change has been predicted and looked for by those acquainted with the situation for several weeks.

Three Officers.

Acting upon the report of the police surgeon, the board determined to prefer charges of physical disability against W. H. Palmer, F. C. Tate and J. J. Lange, all of whom have been ill for a long while. The question of their retirement will be taken up at the next meeting. Sixteen substitute patrolmen, who will be assigned for duty in the city next week in the place of the officers who will be detailed at the State Fair Grounds, were chosen as follows: J. J. Lange, F. C. Tate, G. J. Byrd, H. A. Fischer, L. T. Jackson, J. M. Leavy, W. E. Harris, C. H. Gallion, M. T. Eacho, W. E. LeClair, E. B. Marcusson, R. A. Hallahan, E. E. Hale, F. E. Breen, W. A. Clements and T. P. Swank.

With the exception of a few minor changes which will be necessary, the board accepted the new automobile patrol, which was bought from the Pope-Hartford Company for \$4,825. Commissioners Boykin, Goode, McCarty and Barker, Chief of Police Werner and Captain Pollock yesterday afternoon took a spin through the city in the new machine and pronounced it to fully comply with the needs of the police, with the exception of the slight alteration. It will be placed in service next week at the Fair Grounds, after which it will be stationed in the First District.

A letter was received from the Methodist Preachers' Association commending the action of the board in its effort to have a bill passed at the next session of the General Assembly raising the salary of the chief of police to eighteen years. The ministers assured the board that they would cooperate in every way in this movement.

NEGRO BOY BURNED

Man Threw Match on Him After He Had Spilled Gasoline.

In a spirit of fun, it was said, Junius Eaton, colored, who conducts a cleaning and pressing establishment in Brook Avenue, near Clay Street, yesterday afternoon threw a lighted match on Floyd Brooks, a negro boy. The latter had spilled some gasoline on his hands and rubbed it on his face. The flame from the match ignited the oil and Brooks was seriously burned. He was treated by Dr. T. B. Leonard.

A warrant for Eaton was worn out by Brooks and he was held at the Second Police Station on the charge of a felony.

Suit instituted yesterday in the City Circuit Court by Mollie B. Earnest against the Virginia Railway and Power Company for damages in the sum of \$5,000 claimed for personal injuries. Attorneys Meredith and Cooke represent the plaintiff. No declaration has as yet been filed.

Bullfrogs Gather in Pond.

The thrills and other curious sounds proceeding from the Blues Armory last night came from the Bullfrog Battalion, which met and reorganized for the football season. Yells and groans were practiced while the strike terror to the hearts of the sawbones the Blues team will meet on the gridiron to-day.

Edw. M. Shepard Crump has a series of stunts in his head with to encourage the battalion team during the season. His command of croakers made themselves felt last year, contributing largely to the season's amusement.

DEVOTE ONE CAR
TOTWO GOVERNORS

Automobiles to Be Placed at
Disposal of Executives in
Richmond.

One automobile to every two Governors is the program of Governor Mann for the entertainment of the Conference of Governors, which will be held in Richmond the first week in December. It is his idea to set apart a machine for each pair, with wives or daughters, for their exclusive use while in the city. Besides, there will be a man to show the Governors around and point out places of interest, and the women visitors will be similarly attended by volunteers from among their sex in Richmond.

There is so much to be seen in and about this city that the automobiles will be, it is expected, much in demand.

The largest attendance in the history of the conference is expected. Most of the executives want to come to Richmond because of its historic interest. Governor Mann is not yet advised how many will be here, but has sent out letters with a view to setting this information.

A tentative list of the subjects for discussion has been made out and submitted to Governor Mann. No definite program has as yet been announced.

NOTED CRIMINAL
STRICKEN IN JAIL

Johnson, Former Convict, Who Made Counterfeit Money, Victim of Apoplexy.

CASE ON DOCKET NEXT WEEK

Prisoner Expected to Plead Guilty in View of Recent Confession.

John Allen Johnson, Federal prisoner, four times convicted of counterfeiting and by his own confession guilty of a fifth offense, died last night at 8:30 o'clock in Henrico County Jail. Death was the result of a stroke of apoplexy, which he suffered yesterday morning, while apparently in the best of health and spirits. His case was scheduled to be tried before the Federal grand jury which begins its sessions in this city on Tuesday.

Johnson had been confined in Henrico Jail since September 2, when United States Commissioner Melvin Flegenheimer, after a preliminary hearing, remanded him there in default of \$2,500 bond. During his imprisonment he had developed a reputation as a good-fellow among the other prisoners, and seemed to be unaffected by his loss of liberty.

Made Full Confession.

The prisoner's own confession, and the evidence given at his preliminary examination brought out a long history of crime and imprisonment, little suspected by the local police authorities when he was arrested on August 31 for attempting to pass a spurious coin in a Broad Street store. Captain of Detectives McMahon, who happened to be passing along Broad Street at the time was notified and approached Johnson to place him under arrest.

When addressed by Captain McMahon, Johnson pulled a counterfeit dollar from his pocket and asked the detective to change it for him. The suspected man burst into tears when told he was under arrest.

Subsequent investigations and conferences with United States Secretary Agent Henry W. Thomas, revealed the fact that Johnson had been released from the Federal prison in Atlanta in March, and that he had served three terms there previous to the one then terminated. It was supposed that Johnson was connected with the notorious Allen gang in Carroll County. He gave his name as John B. Allen, when taken into custody. Sidna Allen was under indictment for counterfeiting at the time of the Hillville murder.

Eager to "Make" Money.

After his release from the Atlanta prison, Johnson said he went to Raleigh, N. C., and worked there in different cotton mills until the spring, when he took possession of him, and picked Richmond as a field of operations. The dice which he used in making the coins were characterized as crude implements by Secret Service Agent Thomas. Johnson had led the officers to the spot where they were concealed and permitted them to be entered as evidence in the preliminary hearing. They consisted simply of two plates of Paris slabs with the impression of opposite sides of a silver dollar in the center of each. A small opening at one side provided a place for pouring the molten metal into the mould. The apparatus was good for about fifteen impressions, and the dollars which it turned out, while having most of the earmarks of the real article, were somewhat greasy in appearance and failed to ring true.

After his first attack yesterday morning, Johnson was unconscious most of the time. Acting Coroner J. Felner Bright was called, and would have removed him to the City Hospital, but it was felt that his case was hopeless. No information was given as to whether Johnson may have had in the hands of the county officials, and arrangements have been made for his funeral.

BLUES' ANNUAL HIKE

Teams Will March to Petersburg October 20—Company A Won Twice.

The third annual competitive hike of the Richmond Light Infantry Blues will be had October 26. Teams from each of the four companies will take part. The march is from the Blues Armory, across the Free Bridge, through South Richmond, across Chatham street and the Appomattox Bridge in Petersburg.

Company A has won the march twice in succession, of its team in the vicin- ity of the year it will be permanent possessor of the cup presented by the battalion. Naturally, the boys from that company are working hard to hold the trophy as a permanent addition to their quarters, while those of the other companies are striving just as hard to prevent it.

In Police Court.

Inez Walker, colored, was held for the grand jury yesterday morning in Police Court on the charge of stabbing Hannah Ligdon.

Richard Slaughter, colored, was also held for the grand jury on the charge of assault. He is alleged to have attacked Charles Kimball.

Charles Murray was fined \$10 and costs for being drunk and disorderly and resisting Bicycle Policeman Tiller.

CITY OBJECTS TO
STATE TAXATION

Resists Effort of Auditor to Force Payment on Public Utilities.

SOUTHALL HEARING CASE

Question Must Go Finally to Supreme Court of Appeals for Final Settlement.

Argument was begun yesterday in the Hustings Court before Judge Robert G. Southall, sitting for Judge Richardson, in the case of the city of Richmond against H. E. Tresson, Commissioner of Revenue, and Lee Moore, Auditor of Public Accounts. This is a suit instituted by the city to correct alleged erroneous tax assessments on city property. The question which arises is a constitutional one and will not be ended until it is finally decided by the Supreme Court of Appeals, where it will be taken, regardless of the decision of the lower court.

The evidence brought out yesterday was a maze of figures relating to city property, such as the gas plant, markets and water works, showing the cost of maintenance and the income derived by the city from their operation.

The contention of the city is that, being a municipal corporation under the laws of Virginia, all ground owned by it is exempt from taxation under the Constitution, the construction of a section of which is the sole point at issue.

City Holds It Is Exempt.

The State holds that a profit is derived from property from which a profit is derived, and is subject to taxation. The case is the result of the taxation of city property by the State Auditor. No attempt was ever made to assess city property until this year.

The question is vitally important to every city in Virginia which will be affected by its outcome. Upon invitation of City Attorney Pollard, City Attorney Mason, of Petersburg, and City Attorney Brown, of Danville, were present in court yesterday. An inviter- tal to the attorneys of all cities in the State were sent out by Mr. Pollard. He has received from them expressions of sympathy in his present fight, while many suggestions have been offered. The result will undoubtedly be watched with keen interest.

In Richmond the assessed property is valued at \$10,185,000, on which the State claims a tax of \$35,640.50 this year.

Mr. Pollard is being aided by Assistant City Attorney Anderson, while City Attorney General Williams, Assistant Attorney-General Davis and Commonwealth's Attorney McIntire Folkes are caring for the State's interests.

Court adjourned yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock until the morning at 10 o'clock, when arguments will begin.

IDEAL SEED CORN

October Bulletin on Agriculture Gives Advice to Farmers.

The October bulletin, now being sent out to the farmers of the State by Commissioner Kolner, calls attention to the importance of selecting good corn for next year's crop. It contains an ideal seed ear, the champion ear that took the \$1,000 prize at the National Corn Show, and proper care of seed corn. It is stated, more important than of any other factor in the yield of sixteen bushels per acre due to extra care of seed.

The bulletin also contains an article on the subject of grading winter apples for the market to obtain the best prices. There is a discussion on the use of lime and an article showing a common waste in caring for the corn sower in this State. The commissioner urges the use of the slide on the far side of the seed, and the value and use of hog cholera serum. The bulletin states that \$75,000 has already been saved by the farmers who have used the foot and mouth disease that has been prevalent in some sections of the State this season. These bulletins are sent monthly, free of cost, to all who send Commissioner Kolner their names and addresses.

NIGHT SCHOOLS AT WORK

Enrollment Shows Increase Over Last Year's Figures.

Night schools operated in connection with the public school system of Richmond opened last Monday, and at the close of the first week yesterday showed a decidedly increased enrollment. Last year on the second day of school the total number of pupils in the night schools was: white, 631; colored, 195; total, 826. The total number on the second night this year was: white, 685; colored, 179; total, 1,107, making an increase in the white schools of 144 and a decrease in the colored schools of 16.

There are 350 pupils enrolled in the Marshall Night High School, and some of the classes are already filled to their capacity. In the night high school work there are enrolled 51 pupils in the first and second bookkeeping course; 77 in stenography and typewriting, and 54 in the sixth and seventh year elementary work.

Mayor Succeeds Southern. G. E. Meyer has been appointed soliciting freight agent of the Norfolk and Western Railway at Richmond, to succeed Boyd Suthers, who resigned to accept a position with another company.

Boys' Clothing

The dependable kind made for service and appearances. Everything correct in Suits, Overcoats, Reefers and Hats for children and grown up boys.

Gans-Rady Company

THEATRE MANAGER
HAD HIM ARRESTED

William J. Fuller Later Held on Request of Norfolk Police Department.

William J. Fuller, who said he was an engineer from New York, was arrested by Captain of Detectives McMahon and Detective Sergeant Kellam on the charge of being a fugitive from justice in Norfolk. He is said to be wanted on a charge of passing a worthless check.

Fuller is also being held here as a suspicious character suspected of having attempted to obtain money by false pretenses.

T. A. Burford, manager of the Rex Theatre, Seventh and Broad Streets, advised that Fuller was operating a scheme which did not appear to be straight.

He said that he was approached by the stranger, who said he had a spot-light attachment for moving-picture machines and intended to manufacture them in Richmond. But to get a start to dispose of the attachment, it would be necessary for him to have some money, he specified \$37.50. He said he would agree to give Mr. Burford half interest in the machine if he would advance the money. On its face the proposition was reasonable, but Mr. Burford delayed making any agreement. He told Fuller to return later. In the meantime Burford learned, according to a statement he made last night, that Fuller had made the same proposition to several other managers of picture houses. After he became acquainted with this fact he informed Captain McMahon, and Fuller's arrest followed.

Whether a large batch of blank contract forms were found in his possession. They had been printed in Norfolk, but that word was scratched out and Richmond substituted.

The police are certain that the prisoner has swindled some people here, and know of one instance where he has been making money. Efforts are being made to find persons who have had dealings with him.

As soon as Fuller was arrested the Norfolk police communicated with the long distance telephone and asked whether he was wanted there; the reply was in the affirmative. It was added that the sum of \$37.50 was being asked the police to look for the man. The message was not received until last night.

ALHAMBRA SOLD AGAIN

T. Elwood Tragle Buys Hotel From R. O. Bell for \$50,000.

T. Elwood Tragle has purchased the Alhambra Hotel and the site on which it stands, from R. O. Bell, for \$50,000. J. Street, from R. O. Bell, for \$50,000. J. Street, from R. O. Bell, for \$50,000. J. Street, from R. O. Bell, for \$50,000.

Mr. Tragle is yet undetermined what disposition he will make of the property. It is understood that an effort has recently been made to organize a syndicate for the erection of a modern hotel on that location, but whether it will be continued since the transfer cannot be stated.

Starting with its sale to W. H. Schwartzchild in 1908, the Alhambra has changed hands six times in four years. Mr. Schwartzchild bought the building from George Corrie, who had bid it in at public auction nine years previously for the sum of \$5,000. Blair & Tabb purchased it in 1909 for \$32,000, and almost immediately thereafter sold it to L. M. and W. B. Nelson for \$34,000. Julien Gunn acquired the title on May 16, paying \$10,000 to the former owners, and Mr. Tragle purchased it from Mr. Gunn for \$46,000. Mr. Tragle's purchase completed the sextette.

The lot has a frontage of thirty-six feet four inches on Eighth Street, and extends back along Franklin 120 feet.

FIRE BOARD BUYS
NEW MOTOR TRUCK

Will Have Eighty-Five Foot Aerial Extension Ladders and Latest Devices.

An order was placed by the Board of Fire Commissioners last night for a new motor hook and ladder truck, with eighty-five-foot aerial extension ladder, with automatic raised ladders, equipped with all modern appliances, to be delivered by the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company. The new fire-fighting machine is represented as the very latest development of motor apparatus.

The City Council having authorized the purchase, the funds to be provided in the next annual budget, cost will be approximately \$4,000. The following resignations were received and accepted: E. R. Nuckols, of engine company No. 16; W. L. Hayward, of truck company No. 1; J. T. Bell, of truck company No. 1.

The following new members of the department were elected: R. A. Nelson, fireman, grade "C," in truck company No. 8; W. C. Thompson, fireman, grade "C," in truck company No. 12; Frank M. Kanary, fireman, grade "C," in engine company No. 3; and J. A. Hall, fireman, grade "C," in truck company No. 1.

The following changes and promotions were ordered to be effective from October 5 at noon: A. F. Carleton, changed from grade "B" to call man, at his request; Morris McNeill, promoted from grade "C" in engine company No. 12 to "B" in engine company No. 16; E. F. Isaacs, promoted from grade "C" to grade "B" in truck company No. 8; S. C. McGregor, promoted from grade "B" to grade "A" in engine company No. 16; Granville A. Carr, promoted from grade "C" in engine company No. 11 to grade "B" in truck company No. 1; E. W. Neuman, transferred as grade "C" from truck company No. 2 to engine company No. 11; H. K. Childers, grade "C," transferred from engine company No. 2 to truck company No. 2; James A. Carter, grade "C," transferred from truck company No. 1 to engine company No. 2; C. O. Goode, engineer, transferred from engine company No. 1 to engine company No. 14; O. L. Parker, engineer, transferred from engine company No. 14 to engine company No. 1.

BUTTON DAY TOTAL
EXCEEDS \$3,000

Collections Reached High Figure, Though All Boxes Have Not Yet Reported.

Richmond answered the appeal of "Button Day" with contributions which total a sum approaching \$3,000. Favored with a faultless day, a worthy cause and an eager army of workers, the Home for Needy Confederates Women succeeded in reaching the hearts and pocketbooks of the public most effectively. The exact amount dropped into the boxes on Thursday is not yet known by the committee in charge, as a number of the boxes are yet unaccounted for, but enough have been turned into the counting house to show that the total may pass the \$3,000 mark.

Mrs. A. J. Montague and others, who worked so hard and faithfully and gratified by the magnificent response made to the appeal for aid. Mrs. John Mallory, chairman of the Button Day committee, said last night:

"I wish you would thank the people of Richmond for the noble way in which they came to our help and for the universal courtesy which was shown the workers all over the city. We expected Richmond to rush to the assistance of such a worthy charity, and our appeal was answered even more generously than we had hoped. We desire to publicly thank you girls and young women who stood all day by the boxes and did such splendid work selling the buttons, for with out their services such a success would have not been possible."

"We want to thank especially the many owners of automobiles who were so generous in the loan of their cars for the running about that we were obliged to do. The automobiles simplified the work a hundred fold. Every one was kind and generous and wish to thank them all."

While the vast majority of the 29 boxes have been turned in, those sent to Petersburg, Ashland and other places outside Richmond have not all been received at the banking house of Henry S. Hutzler & Co., where the proceeds of the day are being counted. These will probably be turned in to day and the exact figures for the sale of buttons known by night.

Suffrage League at Pulaski.

A telegram from Pulaski, Va., announced that Mrs. B. B. Valentine and Miss Mary Johnson spoke to an overflowed audience in the court room at Pulaski on Thursday. They were introduced by W. L. McGavock, and a branch league was organized, with membership of fifty-three, and Mrs. S. E. Purvis, of Maple Shade Inn, a chairman.

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